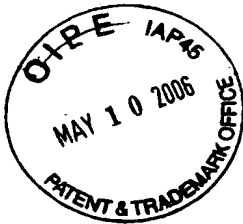


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In re Application of : **Attn: Mail Stop Amendment**
Ken'ichi SUGAWARA : Patent Art Unit: 3654
Serial No. 10/811,954 : Examiner: Emmanuel M. Marcelo
Filed: March 30, 2004 :
For: FISHING LINE GUIDE MECHANISM :
FOR A SPINNING REEL AND METHOD :
OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME :

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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In response to the March 7, 2006 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper. Claims 7-10, 14-21 and 23-30 are pending, with claims 7, 14, 18, 23 and 28 being the independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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